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In re Application of
BLAU et al.
Application No.: 10/564,630
PCT No.: PCT/IL04/00647
Int. Filing Date: 16 July 2004
Priority Date: 16 July 2003
Attorney Docket No.: 1327MMG-US
For: OPTICAL FREQUENCY CONVERTER
FOR NON-POLARIZED LIGHT

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DECISION ON
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PETITION UNDER
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37 CFR 1.497(d)
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This is a decision on applicants' "Request to Correct Inventorship", filed on 26 December 2006 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), requesting the addition of Raphael Lavi, Shaul Pearl and Ariel Elior as inventors in the above reference application.

BACKGROUND

The factual background set forth in the decision mailed on 11 December 2006 is incorporated by reference. In that decision applicant was advised that the fee for filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.497(d) was not paid and was required. The decision indicated that the other requirements of 37 CFR 1.497(d) had been met.

On 26 December 2006, applicant filed a renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.497(d).

DISCUSSION

Where the oath or declaration filed pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4) and 37 CFR 1.497(d) names an inventive entity different from the inventive entity set forth in the international application, the oath or declaration must be accompanied by: (1) a statement from each person being added as an inventor that any error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intention on his or her part; (2) the fee set forth in § 1.17(I); and (3) if an assignment has been executed by any of the original named inventors, the written consent of the assignee(s) (See 37 CFR 3.73(b)).

Applicant previously satisfied Items (1) and (3) above.

As previously indicated, Raphael Lavi, Shaul Pearl and Ariel Elior were not named as inventors in the published international application PCT/IB04/00647. The declaration submitted on 13 January 2006 identifies Raphael Lavi, Shaul Pearl and Ariel Elior as co-inventors. In response to the 11 December 2006 decision, applicant now files a renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.497(d) to add Raphael Lavi, Shaul Pearl and Ariel Elior as an inventors along with the

appropriate petition fee of \$130. Item (2) above has now been satisfied.

Accordingly, applicant has met all of the requirements of 37 CFR 1.497(d) to add Raphael Lavi, Shaul Pearl and Ariel Elinor as co-inventors in the above-identified international application.

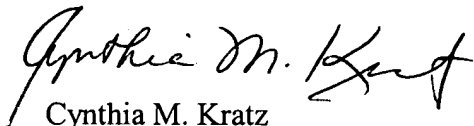
The declaration filed on 13 January 2006 meets the requirements of 37 CFR 1.497 (a) and (b) and is acceptable as filed.

CONCLUSION

The declaration executed by Raphael Lavi, Shaul Pearl and Ariel Elinor along with the joint inventors named in the above referenced application is acceptable and in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b).

For the reasons discussed above, the submission under 37 CFR 1.497(d) to add Raphael Lavi, Shaul Pearl and Ariel Elinor as inventors is hereby **GRANTED**.

The application will be forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office for further processing. The 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (2) and (4) date is **16 January 2006**.



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